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THE QUEEN GREETS HER IMPERIAL GRAND-

SON AT OSBORNE. CANDING OF THE EMPEROR WILLIAM IN ENG-LAND-WELCOMED BY THE PRINCE OF

WALES AND MADE AN ADMIRAL London, Aug. 2.-Brilliant sunshine and cool

preezes prevailed at Portsmouth this morning. The preparations for the reception of Emperor William of Germany were completed at an early hour. The town was handsomely decorated, and the people were in holiday attire. An enormous flotilla, consisting of warships and private vessels, covered the harbor, while the shore was deasely crowded with people.

The German Imperial yacht Hohenzollern, with the Emperor on board, was sighted steaming slowly toward the harbor. Pilots went out to take her in charge. The Prince of Wales, on board the royal yacht Osborne, also started down the harbor to meet the Emperor. Salutes boomed from the forts and the warships. When the Osborne approached near the Hohen-

collern the Prince of Wales signalled hearty greetings to the Emperor, who responded in a friendly way. The two yachts then passed through lines of ironelads and proceeded to Cowes. All the war vessels were trimmed with bunting, and as the yachts passed the yards were manned by sea-On reaching Cowes the Emperor landed at

Trinity Pier, where the Prince of Wales, who had already landed, bade him welcome. The Emperor and Suite and the Prince of Wales then entered parriages, and, accompanied by a military escort, were driven to Osborne, where the Emperor was received by the Queen.

The Emperor was entertained at a family dinner in the palace this evening. He has been appointed Honorary Admiral in the British Navy.

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The weather remained beautiful throughout the day.

At Osborne House the Queen received Emperor William on the terrace, and kissed him on both checks. Cowes and Osborne House were illuminated this evening. Many thousand lights were displayed aboard the vessels in the harbon and the effect was splended.

Berlin, Aug. 2.—The "North German Gazette," commenting on Emperor William's visit to England, refers to Great Britain's sympathy with a ruler who is indefaugable in the interests of peace, and says: "The Spithead review will show the two nations the magnitude of the forces at their dispesal in the great task of civilization underlaken by Europe in the remotest quarters of the globe. England's sympathy with Emperor William marks the close relations and the community of interests existing between the two nations."

SERIOUS CHARGES AGAINST BOULANGISTS. Paris, Aug. 2.—The manager of M. Rochefort's paper, the "Intransiteant," who was arrested on a charge of stealing and publishing documents submitted to and depositions taken before the High Court of the Senate in the case of General Boulanger, was arraigned in court to-day. On being questioned as to the methods employed in procuring the documents nd depositions, he testified that they had been re

M. Le Herrisse, the Boulangist leader, and several other adherents of General Boulanger have been summoned to appear in court in connection with the stealing of the evidence given before the High Court

SMALL COMFORT FOR THE ANTI-JESUITS. Quebec, Aug. 2 .- A deputation appointed by the

Equal Rights Association to present politions to the Governor-General asking him to disallow the Jesuita Governor-General asking him to disallow the Jesuita Estates Act, recently passed by the Quebeo Legislaune, granting \$400,000 to the Jesuits, arrived here to-day and proceeded to the Citadel. Principal Caven made a short speech and presented the petitions, which had over 60,000 signatures.

The Governor-General's reply was short. He was ourteous, but decided. He stated that in his orinion and that of his advisers there were no grounds either or disallowance of the act or for dissolution of Par-

WARLIKE ORDERS IN EASTERN EUROPE.

Constantinople, Aug. 2.-Eighty thousand Turkish

MORE FIGHTING ON THE NILE.

Cairo, Aug. 2 .- A dispatch from Toski says: * Gensral Grenfell to-day reconnoitered the dervish camp. dervishes at Masmas village and killed fifteen of them. Deserters report that Wad el-N'jumi intends to fight

to the last."

The main bodies of the British army and the dervish army are now almost within striking distance of each other. The dervishes are marching northward slowly

VISITORS TO THE WILD WEST SHOW. Paris, Aug. 2 .- Among those who attended the Wild West show yesterday in company with the Shah and his suite were Madame Carnot, the wife of the President; the Government Ministers; Mr. Whitelaw Reid, the American Minister; General Rathbone, E. P. Studebaker, of Indiana; Miss Sibyl Sanderson, the American prima donna, and many members of the American colony in Paris. The Shah expressed himself as highly pleased with the show.

ARSENIC IN MRS. MAYBRICK'S CLOTHING. Liverpool, Aug. 2 .- At the trial of Mrs, Maybrick to-day medical experts testified that they believed of assenic. The physician who made the post-mortem examination testified that death was caused by an irritant poison, but not necessarily by arsenic.

An analyst testified that he had examined Mrs. Maybrick's clothing and had found traces of arsenic in a pocket of her dressing-gown, upon one of her handkerchiefs and also upon an apron that she had

COUNT CARNOT'S BODY TAKEN TO PARIS Magdeburg, Aug. 2.-The body of Count Carnot, the French statesman, who died here on August 3, 1823, was sent to Paris to-day, the French Government having deckled to place it in the Pantheon. The coffin, which was draped with the tricolor, was followed to the railway station by the son and brother of Preddent Carnot, the Eurgemaster of Magdeburg, members of the Municipal Council and several officers of the

A PAINTING SEIZED FOR DUTY.

Montreal, Que., Aug. 2 .- The customs authorities have seized the painting "Jerusalem on the Day of the Crucifixion " on exhibition at the Cyclorama. painting is valued at \$25,000. Its owners sought to have it enter the country free of duty, on the plea that it is a work of art. The authorities claim that it is brought here for commercial purposes, and that the customary duty of 20 per cent should be paid on it.

LEAD MINES IN MEXICO SHUT DOWN. City of Mexico, Aug. 2, via Galveston.-The lead

mines in Nueve Leon are shutting down, owing to the imposition by the United States Government of duties on lead ores. The Mexican steamer Ybero has landed at Vera

five shipwrecked German sallers, who were d up at sea. A HEAVY SEIZURE OF SUGAR.

Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 2 .- One of the most important customs selzures of the year has just been made at Hamilton. The property seized consists of 1,325 bags and 75 barrels of Muscovado sugar, valued at over \$20,000. It was consigned to W. G. Reid, of Hamilton, and its owners are either Turnbull, Siewert & Co., of Trinidad, W. I., or George Christall, of New-York. The grounds of solute are false in-volcing and excessive undervaluation.

A GREAT MINERS' STRIKE AVERTED. London, Aug. 2.-The Durham miners have taken a rote on the question of accepting the 10 per cent dvance affered by the owners. The result was in

KISSED ON BOTH CHEEKS. favor of accepting this advance by a majority of one. This decision averts a strike which would have proved the greatest on record.

THE RUSH'S WORK IN BEHRING SEA: IT IS BROUGHT UP IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS

-A ROAR FROM OTTAWA. London, Aug. 2 .- In the House of Commons this afternoon, Sir James Fergusson, Parliamentary Secretary to the Foreign Office, said that no authentic information had as yet reached the Government regarding the seizure of British vessels in Behring Sea by the United States Government. He also said that no understanding had been arrived at in regard to

the jurisdiction of the Behring Sea.
Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 2.—"The Citizen," the Government organ here, which hitherto has been silent in regard to the Echring Sea question, to-day says editorially: "If the present Government at Washing-ton falls to bring about serious complications be-tween the Imperial Government and the United states, it will not be because no effort has been put forth to produce so undesirable a result. The truth is, statesmen of the calibre of Webster and do not now reach maturity in southern portion of this continent. stekers after notoriety and professors of brag and duplicity appear to have monopolized all places of importance, and are now intent upon forcing issues with a country whose people are rapidly learning to despise, not fear them. The recent shameful act of piracy committed upon a Canadian vessel in Echring sea is absolutely unjustifiable and has only one rescenting frature; namely; that it will bring the whole question under consideration, and the Washington authorities will be obliged to apologize, as well as to recoup the owners of the vessels they interfered with. If this is not done what is left of the Yankee Naval effects will probably disappear from more seas than Echring. cent shameful act of piracy committed upon a Cana-

A CONSULAR AGENT'S DILEMMA.

Ottawa, Aug. 2.—James Averill, of Champiain, N. Y., had an interview with Mr. Bowell to-day in the interests of United States Consular Agent Hoyle, from whom farming implements were recently seized at Lacolle, Quebec, on a charge that they Hacolie, Carolie, Sanggled into Canada. The in-ternational boundary line runs through Hoyle's farm, and the implements were Hoyle's farm, and the implements were simply being used on Hoyle's land on the Canadian side. It was pointed out that if the law were enforced it would be necessary for Hoyle every time he brought an implement into Canada to give a bond that it would be duly exported to the other side of the farm, and it is officially stated that Mr. Bowell is inclined to

AMERICAN WORKINGMEN IN LIVERPOOL. Liverpool, Aug. 2.—The party of representative workingmen who left New-York July 24 for the Paris Exposition and points of interest in Europe, and

CROWDING THE ROYAL GRANTS THROUGH. London, Aug. 2.-The Royal Grants bill passed the ommittee stage in the House of Commons this even- time, as All the amendments were rejected by large majorities. The bill will come up for third reading on Monday.

THE ITALIAN PARLIAMENT PROROGUED. Rome, Aug. 2.-Great surprise was caused to-day by the sudden prorogation of Parliament. No reason

Paris, Aug. 2.—Mr. Sutton, on behalf of the Ameri-can Art Association, has paid to M. Proust 580,650 francs for Mider's picture. The Angelus," which was bought at the Secretan sale. THE SULTAN OUT OF PATIENCE WITH CRETE.

THE MONEY PAID FOR "THE ANGELUS."

A SHORT-TIME MOVEMENT FAILS. London, Aug. 2.-The short-time movement in the cotton mills at Manchoster has proved a failure.

LIVING ON STOLEN MONEY.

A BANK EMPLOYE LEAVES HIS SALARY UN-TOUCHED AND CARRIES OFF A DE-POSIT OF \$27,000.

all three of the finitary classes of the order is in the city this morning when it became known that that the Bulgarian troops have been ordered to mass on Harry Seybold, a popular young man, the individual bookkeeper of the Bank of Wheeling, had been arrested at his bome last night for embezzling \$27,000 reserves have been called out. The Porte is buying uniforms and stores, and work is proceeding at the took-yards with feverish activity.

Section 1. The Porte is buying services was deposited in the bank by a prominent business man and was placed in the vault to be took-yards with feverish activity. closed Mr. List went to get the puckage, but it was some employe had taken it. Harry Seybold was found to be spending money freely, and as his ac-count at the bank was not touched and his salary had not been drawn for months, suspicion at once rested on him. The bank officials called Captain B. B. Dovener into the case. Seybold had reported to his friends that he had lately drawn \$15,000 in the Louisiana Lottery. Captain Dovener went to New-Orleans and found this to be untrue. The sheriff arrested Seybold on suspicion at midnight. He was taken before Justice Arkle and charged with theft, At first he denied the charge, but after close examination finally confessed that he had taken the money. The money was kept at his home for a month, when about \$20,000 was deposited in different banks in the city. The remainder was invested in stock companies.
Scybold turned over certificates of deposit and

real and personal property to the amount of \$32,000, which will entirely cover the loss. He was co which will entirely cover the loss. He was committed to juil without bail and will be held for trial to-morrow morning. He had part of the funds deposited under the name of Seybold & Hennig, which led the bank officials to think that George Hennig, an intimate faiend of Seybold, was directly connected with the theft. He was arrested and brought before Justice Arkle, when it was learned that Seybold had used Hennig's name without authority. Mr. Hennig is in no way connected with the Bank of Wheeling. Seybold had told Hennig that he had borrowed the money and that he intended to buy a gold mine with it.

Seybold's father is the cashier of the bank, and only Seybold's father is the cashier of the bank, and only learned of his son's guilt this morning, and then from his son's wife, who, crazed with grief, went to her father-in-law's home about 5 a.m., and told him of the arrest and confession. Harry Seybold has been in the employ of the bank for the last soven years, and his books have always been found correct at each examination. He gave as a reason for taking the package that the temptation was too strong.

Seybold was released on ball this afternoon, his father going his security. The total amount of Seybold's stealings were \$13,700.

SENECA SWALM MUST GO TO PRISON. San Francisco, Aug. 2.-Seneca Swalm, who was convicted fifteen months ago of stealing diamonds and valuables from Mrs. Clara Belle McDonald, of this city, and was sentence die ten years in prison, had his sentence affirmed yesterday by the Supreme Court. Swalm was an adventurer who became intimate with Mrs. McDonald and was largely responsible for her croubles with her husband, a son of the presi-dent of the Pacific Bank. In her divorce proceedings Swahn acted as the wife's adviser and induced her to give him railroad bonds, diamonds and jewelry valued at \$20,000. Then he departed under a disguise, but was caught on the train with his plunder. This was two years ago, and ever since he has fought against going to prison.

CARGOES OF ICE FROM MAINE.

Boston, Aug. 2 (Special).—A letter to "The Journal" from Gardiner, Me., gives some interesting facts regarding the ice business on the Kennebec and Penobscot Rivers. Seventeen large schooners sailed from the Kennebec on Wednesday, having on board from 800 to 1,200 tons each. At least 1,250,000 tons will be loaded in vessels. The most reliable figures of the harvest last winter were 1,529,600 tons.

Carlisle, Penn., Aug. 2 (Special).—Near Edenville Franklin County, this morning, Miss Mary Snyder poured kerosene from a can upon a lighted fire to hasten its burning. The fire communicated with the car and an explosion occurred, causing the girl's death.

Johnstown, Penn., Aug. 2.—Two more bodies were found this farengon. They were unrecognizable,

W. L. SCOTT'S NEW COAL LANDS. A. H. WOOD'S BUBBLE BURST

SIX THOUSAND ACRES ON THE YOUGHI- HIS BIG THEATRICAL SCHEMES HAVE VAN-OGHENY RIVER.

COMPLETING A SERIES OF TRANSACTIONS BE-GUN FIFTEEN YEARS AGO.

Pittsburg, Aug. 2 (Special).—Ex-Congressman W. L. Scott, of Erie, has completed a deal in coal lands which gives him control of all the coal, with the exception of a comparatively small area, lying between the Youghiogheny and the Monohgahela rivers from a point above Coultersville to the junction of the streams at McKeesport. The river frontage along the Youghiogheny is about ten miles, and the tract contains at least 6,000 The coal property along the Monongahela river in this district is all owned by river operators. But back of this belt the wily Democratio politician has secured everything worth having. Mr. Scott started to buy this land fifteen years ago, and he may now justly be styled the king of the Youghlogheny coal fields.

About 1874 he noticed that good coal lands were becoming scarce, and being impressed with the Youghiogheny territory, he began negotiations quietly. He enjoined secrecy upon sellers, and when he found a stiff owner he bought all around him, depriving him of an outlet and compelling him to sell at buyer's terms. When he first started to buy fifteen years ago he offered \$125 an acre for a large tract, but the owner, who had held it for twelve years, insisted upon \$150 an acre for the coal alone. Mr. Scott refused to buy. Now, nearly fifteen years later, he has acquired the same tract for \$75 an acre, coal rights and all. The bulk of the land was bought at \$65 an acre, and for good coal land is the cheapest transferred in this district for years. The field has exceptional shipping facilities and spiendid coal. The land fronting on the Yiughiogheny River must have alone cost \$400,000. The exact acreage on the Monongahela side of the triangle is not known. the Youghiogheny territory, he began negotia-

ASSAULTED A WHOLE FAMILY FIVE YOUNG MEN MAKE A RAID IN A TENE-MENT HOUSE-ONE WOMAN DANGER-OUSLY INJURED.

James Noonan and his daughter Mary and son James J., of Long Island City, were arrested yesterday, charged with participating in an assault upon Mr. and Mrs. John Grimes, of No. 135 Sixth-st., on Thursday night, and were released in \$500 bonds each live is owned by James Noonan, who lives on a lower who arrived here in the steamer City of Rome, paid a visit to-day to the Mayor of Liverpool. The Mayor gave them a hearty welcome.

The Mayor and Miss Annie Burns, a sister-in-law of Mrs. Grimes. There has been trouble between the Grimes and Noonan families for some time. About 10 o'clock on Thursday night. Miss Burns, who had been ill for some nded the stairs leading to her room. When time, ascended the stairs leading to her rooms she was about half-way up five young men, it is charged, rushed out of Noonan's apartments on the floor below and running past her, jumped into Mrs.

The appearance of the Grimes family best tells the disgraceful scene that followed. Both John and Patrick Grimes were badly beaten about the head and face, while Mrs. Grimes, who is a buxom Irish woman, open by the blow of a club. Miss Burns escaped with the least injuries. She said that the gang would have killed her had not one of them interfered and have killed her had not one of them interfered and saved her from being beaten by a baseball bat in the hands of one of the men. During the fight Mr. and Mrs. Noonan, it is charged, broke into the Grimes's kitchen and upset things generally. The police hastened to the place, but were too late to catch hany of the assailants. The injured family were all removed to the Second Prechet Police Station, where their injuries were attended to. The wound on Mrs. Grimes's head was prenounced dangerous. It is known that two of Noonan's sons besides himself were engaged in the assault. All the med who took part in the assault are known to the police and warrants have been issued for their arrest. Constantinople, Aug. 2.—The Sultan is displeased

Baltimore, Aug. 2 (Special). The prosecution of the Gilmour, the Sunday laws has forced several of them to suspend business in preference to being closed up by law. Bernard Reilly, proprietor of a downtown hosel, has will be sold to satisfy his creditors. He has been day. The present Grand Jury's crusade against liquor men is likely to be extended to the clubs, and at the month "Wood" quarrelled with the mother and Merchanis' Club and the fashionable uptown clubs month "Wood" quarrelled with the mother and from the bank. On April 10 a package containing ing an investigation caused considerable excitement and no little sharp comment. State Attorney Kerr them was first made public. This contract recogcounted after business hours. After the bank was tary of State Lecompte, stating that Governor Jackmissing. The absence of the package was kept foreman of the Grand Jury, issued an order direct-quiet for the time being, as it appeared evident that Ing that Mr. Kerr shall institute proceedings against their corporate powers as to make a forfeiture of their charters proper. The clubs named are com-posed for the most part of drummers, clerks and young business men. Should the charters of these organizations be taken away, it is thought that the Grand Jury will next aim at higher game and begin an investigation in the fashionable clubs that may Grand Jury will next aim at higher game and can an investigation in the fashionable clubs that may cause a sensation. State Attorney Kerr said that in pursuance of the order from Governor Jackson he will, as soon as possible, file a bill in the Circuit Coura, and that the clubs named will be required to show cause why their charters shall not be forfeited.

San Francisco, Aug. 2 (Special).—The name of the California convict who was pardoned through the ntercession of Mrs. Harrison is John F. Elliott. seems that Elliott lied about the real reason for his pardon. He is an English convict, who has served lieve, has blackmailed him out of a lot of money, terms in Australia for forgery, and he has worked on various newspapers on this coast, being a clever writer. He won Mrs. Harrison's sympathies by pathetic letters which he wrote, but he is a fraud and will soon be heard from again, as the police say he is a confirmed thief.

Marquette, Mich., Aug. 2.—In the Republic Mine at 5 o'clock this afternoon two cases of giant powder exploded, killing two men and three boys. All the victims were torn to shreds.

Galena, Iil. Aug. 2.—The low grounds in this sec-tion were visited by a frost early yesterday morning, which did considerable damage to growing vegetables. Corn guffered in exposed places. Tobacco was also severely injured.

CHARLES HAHR IS HIS REAL NAME-HIS BUSI-NESS MANAGER WANTS UNPAID SALARIES AND A DEPUTY SHERIFF TAKES CHARGE

OF "THE WEST END THEATRE'S" WITH THE BOLD

One of the most remarkable and brilliantly bubbles that ever floated in the theatrical atmosphere was effectually pricked yesterday morning when Deputy Sheriff James Carraher entered the gorgeously fitted-up offices of the West End Theatre, Harlem, at No. 67 West Twenty-third-st., and levied upon all their contents to satisfy a writ for unpaid salary brought by Business Manager Horace Wall against his employer, the person who announced himself as all d " A. H. Wood, proprietor and manager of the West End Theatre, Harlem."

Only a few months ago A. H. Wood suddenly attracted attention by announcing his project of building a superb theatre in Harlem, and installing there a stock company, which should be the equal in merit of any in the city. Not long after it was said that Mr. Wood had also made a three years' contract with "Tommy" Russell, who was then one of the Little Lord Fauntleroys at the Broadway Theatre. The ideas of Wood, who is a boyish-looking person, and who is said to be only twenty-three years old, were wonderfully extravagant, and he consistently endeavored to carry them out as long as his command of money lasted. His theatre should be no ordinary edifice, hidden behind stores and offices, but a verluble "Temple of the Drama," undesecrated by any base commercial intrusion, and which should be an ornament to Harlem and a delight to its inhabitants. Filled with this philanthropic inspiration, he instructed Architect Griebel to draw plans for such a building to be erected on the ground at the northeast corner of Seventh-ave. and One-hundred-and-twentyfourth-st., belonging to Miss Maggie Mitchell, which Wood was supposed to have purchased. No fault can be found with Mr. Griebel's plans, the "elevation" giving promise of much symmetry and beauty. Contracts were made for the excavations and the building of the foundation-walls, and on June 10 expensive ceremonies, by "Tommy" Russell,

SUPPOSED TO BE WORTH MILLIONS. When "A. H. Wood" began his theatrical ventures, reports placed the capital at his com- and left. nand at enormous sums, which, though often varying, were always in the millions. The extravagant way in which he poured out money in different directions went far to confirm his stories of the plenitude of his resources. Not finding the building of the theatre a sufficiently rapid drain for his money, he started a weekly newspaper to advertise the dramatic enterprise. This paper was called "The West End Critic," and Hillary Bell, the artist, was enenged as its editor. A stall of writers was also secured, and Wood and his employes were established in the offices No. 67 West Twenty-third-st. His own room was fitted up in the most sumptuous manner with statues, pictures, engravings, costly furniture and silken draperies. Contracts for the coming season were made with a number of well-known actors and actresses, including Selina Fetter, Rose Eytinge, Effic Germon, Arthur Forrest and J. H.

Soon after the laying of the cornerstone is began to be whispered about that "Wood's" funds were not flowing with their wented freedom. The work on the theatre went on with extreme made an assignment, and the furniture, liquors, etc., slowness, and though this was officially attributed to the delays of contractors, the names of those the peculiar character of the contract between nized the existence of a prior contract, for the coming season, with T. Henry French, but as that could be terminated on the giving of two weeks' notice by either party, "Wood" was accorded the right to call upon Mrs. Lambrecht to give ties notice whenever he so desired. The contract between "Wood" and Mrs. Lambrecht was signed in February, and from then to the date of the quarrel "Wood" had been paying to her \$45 a week, and had also employed Mr. Lambrecht. The problection of the facts of this quarrel seems to have hastened the collapse of the West End Theatre enterprise. Theatre enterprise.

WOOD IS REALLY CHARLES HAHR. When Horace Wall was seen late yesterday

afternoon at No. 67 West Twenty-third-st. he admitted that the Sheriff's deputy was there in his and that the class hands will be included.

TRAINMEN HUET IN A COLLISION.
Newburg, N. Y., Aug. 2.—A bad amaship occurred on the New-Vork and New-England Railroad about one mile west of New-Bittain, Come, at minight lead night. The passenger train as 1000 p. m. a 10 all the more important points of which he read

"Wood has had a cousin hanging around here, whom he introduced as 'Jack,' and who, I beunder the threat of exposing his past career. Chief Donovan tells me that 'Juck' is really Henry Hahr, a brother of Charles. Henry, acconding to Chief Donovan, has served a term in

the Elmira Reformatory.

"I understand that the price to be paid for the property in Harlem was \$110,000. Only \$5,000 was paid in eash. There was a mortgage on it was paid in eash. There was a mortgage on it was paid in eash. There was a mortgage on it was paid in eash. There was a mortgage on it was paid in eash. There was a mortgage on it was paid in eash. There was a mortgage on it was paid in eash. There was a mortgage on it was paid in eash of the taken up by for \$14,000 and this was done, as some weeks wood. I believe this was done, as some weeks ago Wood borrowed \$14,000 through President ago Wood borrowed \$14,000 through President ago week being ving as security mortgages on two houses. The sum of \$15,000 more was to be paid some time time time the bainance was to remain on mortgage. As I understand it, the title has never been transferred by Miss Mitchell.

"I learn that about two years ago Wood w.ent to a well-known firm of picture-dealers and, repreto a well-known firm of picture-dealers and provided this morning. The body was not recovered. Mr. Penrose was about forty years old and leaves a wife and child.

wealthy, selected some \$60,000 worth of pictures. He had somehow or other raised \$3,000, and made arrangements for paying the rest. His mother was janitress or housekeeper in some large establishment, of which she was represented to be the owner. I think the pictures were delivered, but the dealer became alarmed and recovered them.

HAHR'S EXTRAVAGANCES.

"While 'Wood' or Hahr had money he did not seem to be able to spend it fast enough. His only aim was to be known as proprietor and manager of a theatre. Any one could get money from him. It is said that he has paid Sarony over \$2,000 for photographs of himself and Tommy' Russell. He paid \$400 for the insertion of a cut of the theatre in an illustrated paper. "The Critic" cost a great deal, and some \$1,600 is now owing to the printer, Mr. Gildersleeve. The furnishing of these offices must also have cost a lot of money. When I last saw Wood he was hoping to get money from his wife's uncle, Edward Bresler, of Detroit, who is said to be wealthy, but I don't think there is much chance

of success."

A reporter who called at No. 129 West Seventy-sixth.st., was told by Mr. Bresler that Wood had gone to Long Branch. When informed of the condition of affairs at the office, Mr. Bresler only muttered, "Too bad." E. W. Gregory, who has been in Wood's employ and living in the house with him, said that it was hopeless to try to see Wood, as even he had not been able to see him all day.

all day.

Hillary Bell is said to be a serious loser, as he is believed to have lent Wood \$2,000. Mr. Bell was one of the unfortunate artists whose studios were burned in the fire at the Y. M. C. A.

on Sunday.

Architect Griebel said he was a loser to the extent of \$4,500, but it is thought that some of this amount must be for prospective earnings.

Mr. Griebel thought there was a mechanic's lien Mr. Griebel thought there was a mechanic's lieu on what work had been done at the theatre. Charles Cowan, contractor, of Harlem, is reported to be a loser to a considerable extent. John Harrington, the playwright, has a claim for \$800 due for the piece "The Earl's Heir," written for "Tommy" Russell at Wood's order. Mr. Harrington will endeavor to proceed against Wood criminally. "The Earl's Heir," however, will probably be put on the road by the author and Horace Wall, with Olive Beckly and Carrie Weber alternating in the child's part.

Henry E. Abbey will probably go to-day to look at the foundation of the theatre, and should he think favorably of the site it is possible he may become interested in carrying on the scheme.

A WILD BEAST LOOSE IN THE STREET.

NARROW ESCAPE OF A CHILD FROM BEING KILLED BY A STEER-A VALUABLE

HORSE GORED TO DEATH. A wild steer caused great excitement and terror in the Sixth Precinct of Williamsburg late yesterday afternoon, and the death of a twelve-year-old girl was only prevented by a fortunate circumstance. The steer was one of a lot that was driven through Bushwick-ave. to the slaughter house of the corner-stone was laid, amid appropriate and Levy & May, in Jehnson-ave. When the steer left the herd it was followed by a drover who attempted to lasso it. Dashing wildly down Montrose-ave, the steer scattered pedestrians right

> Little twelve-year-old Augusta Dorner, Boerum-st., was not agile enough, and the steer caught her upon its horns and with a vicious upward fling of its head sent the child flying through the air. The girl landed in a bank of builders' sand about twenty feet away from the steer and only received a bad shaking-up.

The wild animal ran along and turned up Montrose-ave, where a drover was in wait for it. The steer made a dash for him, and he jumped behind the horse of Albert Lounsbury, of No. 192 Conselvea-st., which was standing near Bushwick Place. The steer plunged its horns into the horse and threw it to the ground. The animal was a valuable one. It died half an hour after.

The steer was finally captured, but when the owner of the horse tried to find out who owned the steer he was told that it was a stray animal and that no one was responsible for its actions.

DROWNED TO AMUSE HIS COMPANIONS.

TO SEE HIM LEARN TO SWIM. Thomas Robinson, tweive years old, was pushed off from the stringpiece in West Twenty-fifth-st, into the North River by a heartless companion named Patrick of The Tribune will remember that during last struggle in the water, mingled with pitiable cries, went to the bottom before the eyes of a half-dozen of stepfather of "Tommy" Russell, and that then his playmates. He was sitting on the bulkhead and had a fishline in his hands when Casey, who is one year his senior, asked him if he could swim. The boy replied in the negative and in the next instant Casey threw him overboard. While the drowning boy was pleading to his companions, young Casey said that it was "launching day," and that he should try to save himself. One of his more thoughtful playmates ran for assistance, but succor came too late. Casey was taken to the West Twentieth-st, police station and locked up. He is considered a tough specimen of the wharf rat genus. He lives at No. 500 West Twenty-seventh-st., with his parents. Robinson's body was recovered and removed to his home at No. 547 West Twenty-sixth-st. The Coroner was notified.

A CANAL RUINED BY POLITICS. Baltimore, Aug. 2 (Special) .- The fate of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal now seems inevitable. efforts of the present management to float \$300,000 interest. Mr. Wall made the following statement, measures are soon taken to repair the canal, it must go into the hands of a receiver. The directors held from his sworn complaint in his suit for salary: a meeting to day, but nothing was done. Capitalists

near this city. So far it has baffled all efforts to relieve it. It is spreading. It begins by a swelling of the eyes, which become so thoroughly inflamed that total blindness follows in a few days. A fever ac-companies the disease and the mill of the cows is unfit for use. The cattle owners are greatly alarmed and the utmost precautions are being taken to prevent the spread of the disease.

NORTH DAKOTA COUNTIES.

SEPARATE COURTS AND REPRESENTATIVES

UNDER CONSIDERATION.

THE DELEGATES FROM THE THINLY SETTLES

REGIONS DEFEATED-TO PREVENT ANNUAL ELECTIONS IN SOUTH DAKOTA-FREE

PASSES FORBIDDEN IN MONTANA. Bismarck, N. D., Aug. 2 .- The county court uestion is still before the convention. Judge Carland, who has led the opposition to the establishment of the county courts, offered a substitute providing that whenever the voters of a bounty having a population of 2,000 or over shall decide by a majority vote that they desire the jurisdiction of a county court increased above that limited by the Constitution, then such courts shall have concurrent jurisdiction with the district courts in all civil actions where the amount in controversy does not exceed \$1,000, and in all criminal actions below the grade of felony; and in case of such decision by the county, the justices of the peace shall have no exclusive jurisdiction. This compromise is favored by a majority of the convention. but there is an opportunity for a change of sentiment before the matter comes up for discussion

to-morrow. The principal fight of the day was over the propesition to give every organized county a representative in the Legislature. This was opposed by the Red River Valley counties, and all of the stern portion of the Territory, as giving the sparsely settled western part of the Territory more power in the Legislature than it is entitled to. In reply to this argument the members from the west claimed that, masmuch as the Red River Valley will have absolute control of the Senate the western counties should be given representa The western men were defeated, and the convention decided upon having the members of the House of Representatives elected at large from the Senatorial districts. Mr. Williams, of Burleigh, introduced a resolution that the Homestead and Exemption laws of the Territory shall never be repealed by the State, but it was defeated by

Sioux Falls, S. D., Aug. 2.-The convention began its labors at 9 o'clock this morning and continued its labors all day. The consideration of the report of the Schedule Committee was resumed. The schedule, as reported, provides for the election in October next of State officers whose terms of office will not expire until January, 1892. County officers are to be elected in No. vember, 1890, and every two years thereafter. By this arrangement South Dakota will have a general election every year. When the section covering this point was reached, an amendment was offered making the terms of State officers expire in 1891, thereby providing a term of about fourteen months, and remedying the evil of annual elections by making the election of State and county officers coincident. The amendment was defeated by a tie vote, but the matter was recon-

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Helena, Mont., Aug. 2.—In the convention this morning a memorial was presented asking the Treasury Department for a specify decision on the Mexican land question. It was referred to the Committee on Mining. The section was passed prohibiting legislators, members of the judiciary and the Boards of Equalization from accepting passes from railroads under penalty of forieiture of office and emoluments.

The apportionnent of the State into Senatorial districts, one for each county, called out a heated debate. The Republican members made strong efforts to have an adjournment before a vote was put, and were finally successful.

Olympia, W. T., August 2.—Petitions from all over the Territory from Boards of Trade, city councils and mass meetings of citizens are reaching here in opposition to two sections in the article on corporations. The first one requires corporations doing business in the State to have books here with complete records of transfers of stock and business transactions open to inspection. This section was defeated in the Committee of the Whole this afternoon by a large vote. The other objectionable section provides for an Elective Board of Railroad Commissioners, who shall have absolute control of all transportation, regulating rates, etc., etc. This section is is now under debate, with every indication that it will be beaten also. Sections missioners, who shall have absolute control of all transportation, regulating rates, etc., etc. This section is is now under debate, with every indication that it will be beaten also. Sections were adopted to-day making stockholders liable for unpaid stock, and declaring that corporations can sue and be sued that they can only increase stock under general law and can only issue bonds when the value of bonds has been paid in cash, labor or property. Foreign corporations must do business on the same basis as home companies. Section 11 forbids the alienation of franchises so as to relieve liabilities of lessor or grantor. The State is forbidden to lend its credit or to own any corporation stock. Section 14 makes it a crime for banks to receive money after they are in-olvent. Railroad companies are obliged to exchange passengers and freights. No discrimination in long and short hauls is allowed.

A BRITISH STEAMER WRECKED.

THE CHANCELLOR STRIKES ON WATLING'S ISLAND AND IS A TOTAL LOSS.

Philadelphia, Aug. 2.-The British steamship Chancellor, of 2,116 gross tons, bound from Santiago de Cuba, July 23, for Baltimore, with a cargo of 2,740 tons of iron ore, struck on Watling's Island, in the Babamas (date not known), and became a total loss-Her crew were sent to Nassau, New-Providence, and the captain has arrived at Baracoa, Cuba. The cargo of the vessel was consigned to the Juragua Iron Company, of this city, and was insured in a Philadelphia company, while the vessel's insurance was held in English companies. The vessel was owned by E. Harris & Co., of Middleborough, England, and was under a twelve months' time centract to the Earn Line, of Philadelphia, for the West India coal and Iron ore carrying trade. The loss on the vessel will be about \$100,000, and on the eargo probably \$50,000.
About a year ago the Chancellor struck at nearly the same spot, and sustained damage which cost \$40,000 to repair. She was commanded by Captain William Lynas and had a crow of forty men, all of whom work

THE WATER IN THE DAM FALLING.

PLAINFIELD IN NO DANGER-TO BUILD A SUB STANTIAL STRUCTURE.

The people of Plainfield, N. J., Fanwood and Sc Plains were freed from anxiety yesterday by the re-ports that the big dam at Feitville was no longer in danger of breaking. The Chief of Police, Mr. Carey, and Colonel Scott returned to Plainfield in the morning, after a night's watching near the dam. Warren Ackerman, the cement manufacturer, of this city, kept a gang of men at work on the dam until they opened the gates at the foot of the dam with the aid of grappling hooks. The water in the lake had lowered three feet by 5 o'clock yesterday morning, and fell rapidly during the day. Mr. Ackerman will at once

begin the construction of a substantial dam.

The Board of Freeholders of Union County have reported that five bridges have been carried away causing a loss of \$25,000. The county has just issued bonds for 850,000 for new county roads, and a special loan will have to be obtained before new bridges can be built. Mr. Putnam, the health inspector of Elizabeth, was hard at work yesterday getting the water from the cellars of the houses in Pricest. Ten basements were pumped out, but some of them were filled up again by the backwash. There are fars of sickness in the neighborhood. Mr. Owen, the engineer of Essex County, after an examination of the bridge under his charge, estimates the loss at not more than \$12,000. The damage to roads, however, is far more serious.

THE BOSTON MAKING TACTICAL TRIALS. Newport, Aug. 2.-The trial of the cruiser Boston was postponed yesierday because of the high wind, she went over a measured mile several times to-day,

taking speed and tactical diameter. The members of the official board to conduct the trials have arrived here. They are Commodore John G. Walker, Lieuenant-Commander Edward D. Taussig, Passed As-Salisbury and C. E. Manning, and Naval Constructor